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Ms. Deana Williamson  
Clerk, Texas Court of Criminal Appeals  
P.O. Box 12308  
Capitol Station  
Austin, Texas 78711*Re: Melgar, Sandra Jean; CCA No. PD-0243-20  
Trial Court Case No. 143566*

Dear Ms. Williamson,

On June 30, 2021, undersigned counsel presented oral argument in the above styled and numbered cause. During counsel's rebuttal argument, a question was asked concerning how developed the investigation was as to the suspicious person at the scene. Undersigned counsel responded there was very little investigation of the suspicious person [Sullivan] by the detectives and that the defense had done most of the investigative work (after the fact). In the course of answering the question, undersigned counsel stated, in part, that the person of interest had just gotten out of jail for assault two days before Jaime Melgars' murder and had used a knife. After listening to the oral argument and re-reviewing the record, counsel acknowledges that his comments were not entirely accurate. The record evidence (RR10-91-105) and Brief for Appellant at 61-62, including footnote 64, reflect the following: former Detective Carrizal acknowledged Sullivan's criminal history showed both theft and assaultive behavior, but was unaware that Sullivan (1) had also been arrested previously carrying a knife, and (2) had bonded out of jail just two days before Jaime Melgar's murder.

Very sincerely,

*/S/ George M. Secrest, Jr.*Mr. Clinton Morgan (Delivered Via E-mail)  
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